

Table VII.A.2.b(2006) Percent of private-sector establishments that offer health insurance that offer at least one health insurance plan that required no contribution from the employee for single coverage by proportion of employees who are full-time or low-wage and State: United States, 2006

Division and State	Total	Percent Full-Time Employees			Percent Low-Wage Employees **	
		75% or more	50-74%	Less than 50%	50% or more	Less than 50%
United States	41.2%	42.2%	41.5%	34.2%	29.2%	45.0%
New England:						
Connecticut	42.0%	34.8%	41.8%	69.0%	21.9%	44.9%
Maine	43.1%	43.2%	42.3%	43.4%	38.8%	44.2%
Massachusetts	29.5%	27.4%	32.5%	37.0%	21.8% *	30.8%
New Hampshire	36.3%	39.8%	34.7%	22.0% *	16.9%	42.3%
Rhode Island	41.2%	44.9%	28.9%	34.2%	27.8% *	44.2%
Vermont	40.6%	39.7%	61.3%	28.8%	31.8%	42.9%
Middle Atlantic:						
New Jersey	52.2%	52.4%	50.0%	53.0%	40.8%	54.6%
New York	44.8%	46.6%	36.8%	42.3%	40.8%	45.7%
Pennsylvania	42.8%	42.5%	45.8%	40.0%	39.0%	43.9%
East North Central:						
Illinois	35.0%	34.4%	40.9%	31.4% *	35.0%	35.0%
Indiana	30.0%	31.0%	39.5% *	16.0% *	20.6% *	34.0%
Michigan	44.1%	44.9%	46.9%	34.7%	35.2%	47.0%
Ohio	35.1%	38.1%	21.9%	31.9%	25.2%	39.0%
Wisconsin	35.6%	36.6%	39.9%	28.2%	26.6%	38.6%
West North Central:						
Iowa	33.6%	34.9%	26.2% *	33.7%	34.5%	33.2%
Kansas	40.9%	40.8%	38.1%	44.4%	40.3%	41.2%
Minnesota	37.1%	38.1%	32.4% *	37.0%	36.2%	37.3%
Missouri	44.1%	44.7%	48.3%	35.8%	34.0%	48.6%
Nebraska	26.2%	24.5%	29.3%	30.7% *	19.7% *	28.7%
North Dakota	47.5%	46.3%	49.4%	51.5%	42.7%	49.2%
South Dakota	33.7%	33.4%	53.0%	15.9% *	30.2%	35.5%
South Atlantic:						
Delaware	39.9%	42.1%	38.7%	30.9%	22.2%	45.5%
District of Columbia	42.9%	44.1%	42.6% *	29.0% *	14.8% *	48.2%
Florida	37.4%	40.8%	28.8%	19.5% *	23.1%	42.0%
Georgia	39.7%	42.3%	39.0% *	20.6% *	18.0% *	47.1%
Maryland	44.9%	41.6%	59.3%	43.0%	27.2% *	50.2%
North Carolina	41.2%	46.8%	29.4%	18.5% *	12.9% *	50.9%
South Carolina	32.2%	30.9%	37.8% *	35.6% *	21.9%	37.6%
Virginia	34.5%	35.9%	35.9%	21.8% *	19.8%	40.1%
West Virginia	27.9%	30.1%	26.1% *	14.8% *	21.5%	32.8%
East South Central:						
Alabama	31.6%	33.9%	33.8% *	12.9% *	22.0%	38.2%
Kentucky	35.9%	38.9%	30.6% *	27.8% *	18.7%	47.0%
Mississippi	38.3%	40.5%	33.9% *	26.7% *	23.8% *	47.1%
Tennessee	31.9%	28.1%	46.8%	49.5%	29.6%	33.0%
West South Central:						
Arkansas	31.0%	31.8%	39.7% *	19.0% *	17.6%	39.5%
Louisiana	35.9%	39.9%	33.6%	10.3% *	25.9%	41.7%
Oklahoma	48.7%	54.2%	35.7% *	21.3% *	29.1%	58.4%
Texas	39.2%	42.2%	33.2%	26.3%	23.2%	45.5%
Mountain:						
Arizona	36.3%	35.4%	61.9%	9.3% *	20.6%	41.8%
Colorado	42.6%	43.5%	39.3%	41.0%	38.2%	44.1%
Idaho	49.2%	55.4%	35.8%	29.8%	38.5%	52.3%
Montana	43.8%	43.3%	39.7%	53.3%	45.8%	42.8%
Nevada	36.3%	40.6%	23.8% *	28.0% *	15.7% *	45.1%
New Mexico	34.9%	37.4%	29.0% *	24.3% *	21.3%	41.3%
Utah	38.6%	36.8%	45.0%	43.6%	24.0% *	42.4%
Wyoming	52.6%	56.2%	35.1% *	42.9%	41.9%	55.5%
Pacific:						
Alaska	38.6%	39.8%	34.6% *	32.0% *	26.6% *	40.5%
California	51.2%	51.3%	59.1%	38.6%	37.3%	54.4%
Hawaii	70.6%	72.4%	69.2%	64.3%	61.7%	73.7%
Oregon	54.4%	54.2%	60.1%	48.3%	43.5%	57.2%
Washington	48.0%	46.8%	47.7%	58.3%	32.6% *	50.6%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2006 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

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Table VII.A.2.b(2006) Standard error for percent of private-sector establishments that offer health insurance that offer at least one health insurance plan that required no contribution from the employee for single coverage by proportion of employees who are full-time or low-wage and State: United States, 2006

Division and State	Total	Percent Full-Time Employees			Percent Low-Wage Employees **	
		75% or more	50-74%	Less than 50%	50% or more	Less than 50%
United States	0.59%	0.77%	1.22%	1.50%	1.13%	0.95%
New England:						
Connecticut	4.69%	3.10%	8.74%	14.89%	6.33%	5.44%
Maine	4.29%	5.80%	4.77%	7.06%	6.56%	4.60%
Massachusetts	3.36%	3.86%	5.40%	6.99%	7.93% *	3.82%
New Hampshire	3.03%	3.80%	5.98%	7.31% *	4.24%	4.18%
Rhode Island	3.10%	4.84%	7.44%	10.23%	8.43% *	3.99%
Vermont	2.25%	2.79%	9.83%	6.60%	7.94%	2.83%
Middle Atlantic:						
New Jersey	3.08%	3.59%	11.17%	10.40%	12.19%	3.50%
New York	2.25%	2.20%	5.99%	7.11%	6.59%	2.79%
Pennsylvania	2.86%	3.70%	5.92%	10.01%	5.76%	4.08%
East North Central:						
Illinois	3.14%	3.62%	8.45%	10.64% *	7.17%	3.76%
Indiana	5.06%	5.35%	12.21% *	6.62% *	7.00% *	5.22%
Michigan	2.35%	2.92%	7.85%	9.42%	5.54%	2.96%
Ohio	2.36%	3.18%	6.05%	8.21%	6.19%	3.09%
Wisconsin	2.79%	3.26%	8.13%	7.28%	5.41%	3.70%
West North Central:						
Iowa	4.08%	5.80%	9.53% *	8.40%	4.41%	4.80%
Kansas	3.64%	4.23%	10.51%	12.42%	8.52%	2.79%
Minnesota	2.92%	3.57%	10.79% *	8.92%	7.83%	3.49%
Missouri	2.22%	3.07%	8.40%	10.73%	5.46%	3.29%
Nebraska	2.45%	4.46%	7.64%	12.39% *	5.95% *	4.18%
North Dakota	2.40%	3.53%	8.54%	12.10%	6.96%	3.03%
South Dakota	2.77%	4.28%	12.52%	7.98% *	4.96%	3.08%
South Atlantic:						
Delaware	3.32%	4.38%	10.25%	9.04%	5.72%	4.07%
District of Columbia	3.72%	3.60%	13.30% *	13.17% *	10.46% *	3.84%
Florida	3.27%	3.31%	5.73%	10.07% *	2.84%	3.73%
Georgia	2.18%	3.25%	13.92% *	10.26% *	6.12% *	2.84%
Maryland	3.20%	4.92%	8.73%	11.19%	8.23% *	2.45%
North Carolina	2.74%	3.23%	7.42%	6.28% *	4.51% *	2.18%
South Carolina	3.99%	2.81%	13.43% *	12.43% *	5.82%	4.28%
Virginia	3.05%	3.46%	10.45%	8.30% *	4.42%	4.43%
West Virginia	3.39%	4.04%	8.94% *	12.75% *	4.63%	3.30%
East South Central:						
Alabama	4.51%	5.71%	10.28% *	9.91% *	4.92%	5.38%
Kentucky	3.26%	3.56%	9.48% *	14.68% *	5.44%	4.10%
Mississippi	4.03%	3.91%	11.27% *	12.68% *	7.94% *	5.05%
Tennessee	4.06%	4.08%	11.57%	12.18%	6.55%	4.75%
West South Central:						
Arkansas	4.66%	5.98%	13.14% *	9.50% *	4.80%	6.10%
Louisiana	2.90%	3.81%	8.45%	7.55% *	6.06%	4.14%
Oklahoma	4.30%	5.34%	11.02% *	10.68% *	5.52%	4.46%
Texas	1.47%	3.25%	7.78%	5.86%	2.92%	2.81%
Mountain:						
Arizona	2.66%	4.00%	12.62%	9.69% *	5.87%	4.08%
Colorado	3.96%	4.09%	10.36%	10.85%	7.37%	4.40%
Idaho	3.34%	5.01%	8.81%	8.60%	7.65%	6.16%
Montana	3.58%	3.59%	7.17%	11.49%	5.43%	3.90%
Nevada	3.02%	2.41%	12.66% *	13.09% *	7.35% *	3.92%
New Mexico	2.51%	3.74%	11.03% *	8.41% *	4.63%	4.07%
Utah	3.66%	4.18%	8.22%	12.15%	9.04% *	3.99%
Wyoming	5.79%	6.02%	11.21% *	11.55%	6.79%	6.40%
Pacific:						
Alaska	3.36%	3.38%	12.07% *	13.88% *	8.37% *	3.57%
California	1.70%	1.95%	4.50%	6.69%	5.41%	1.93%
Hawaii	2.86%	3.12%	5.62%	10.23%	5.27%	3.13%
Oregon	2.90%	3.02%	8.61%	8.07%	5.79%	3.47%
Washington	3.10%	3.58%	11.68%	12.17%	11.58% *	2.60%

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